

Anne Boleyn at the Block.
Of the execution of Anne Boleyn, the author of "The Wives of Henry VIII," says:
Anne herself knelt in a distraught way, as if to pray, but really gazed around her in mute appeal from one pitiless face to another. The headsman, taking compassion upon her, assured her that he would not strike until she gave the signal. "You will have to take this coil off," said the poor woman, and one of the ladies who attended her did so and partially bound her eyes with a handkerchief, but Anne still imagined that her head was in the way and kept her hand upon her hair, straining her eyes and ears toward the steps, where from the headsman's words she expected the sword to be handed to him. While she was thus kneeling erect in suspense the sword which was hidden in the straw behind her was deftly seized by the French executioner, who, swinging the heavy blade around, in an instant cut through the erect, slender neck, and the head of Anne Boleyn jerked from the shoulders and rolled upon the cloth that covered the platform.

The Garibaldi.
The Garibaldi are a very ancient Ligurian family. The first who used the name would seem to have been Garibaldi, duke of Bavaria, A. D. 594. From him descended Grimaldus, king of Lombardy, A. D. 673. His son was Garibaldi. Then the name disappears, but it is early found among the nobles of Genoa, and at the institution of the Liber Aureus, in 1528, its members are recorded as of the ancient nobility. From 1528 to 1751 the successive generations of the Garibaldi are recorded in the "Libro d'Oro," and the last name but one there entered is Joseph Garibaldi, born 1792, probably an ancestor of the dictator. In 1835 Jeannette Garibaldi was one of the four senators who accompanied the doge of Genoa to Versailles after Louis XIV. had nearly destroyed Genoa by a Superba by bombs to apologize to the ruthless tyrant.—Notes and Queries.

Under Many Flags.
Possibly no possession has changed nationality so frequently as the island of Santa Cruz, in the Danish West Indies. Originally the land belonged to Spain, and it was taken from Spain to be under the joint rule of England and Holland. After awhile the flag of Holland was taken down, and the English flag alone floated, only to give way to Spain again. The Knights of Malta were the next possessors, and from them it passed to a company of adventurers, who lost it to France, which sold to a Danish company the land finally coming into possession of the Danish government. England again took possession in 1801, and eight years later it passed to the Danish government again. Eventually it will probably become a part of the United States, two bargains having been arranged, but never completed.

A Lack of Competition.
The old squire was narrating his experiences with county fairs. "You never had much to do with managing them, perhaps," he said. "Well, I have had a great deal. It takes a lot of head work. I can tell you, to think up popular features outside of the big steers, the fat hogs, the mammoth squashes, the poultry, the preserves, the lace, tidies and the agricultural horse trots to draw the crowd. "I remember one year," he proceeded, "when we got everybody's interest excited by announcing a prize of a gold headed cane for the homeliest man in the county and a silk dress pattern for the homeliest woman. After a spirited competition the cane was awarded to Colonel Van Jessup, the landlord of the Van Jessup hotel. "Yes, I know him," interrupted one of the listeners, "and I've seen the cane. Who got the silk dress for being the homeliest woman?" "Nobody. There weren't any entries."

Salt Water Falls.
There are a good many salt cataraacts in existence. They may be found in Norway, southern Chile and British Columbia, where narrow fjords, or arms of the sea, are obstructed by barriers of rock. The rising tide flows over and filters through such reefs into the great natural reservoirs beyond, but the water is held back at the ebb until it breaks over the obstruction in an irresistible torrent. Most curious of all is the waterfall at Canoe passage, where the island of Vancouver approaches the British Columbia mainland. Here the flood tide from the gulf of Georgia, to the southward, is dammed back at a narrow cleft between two islands until it pours over in a boiling cascade eight-hundred feet high, with perhaps double the volume of the Rhine. At the turn of the tide, however, the waters from the north rush back into the gulf, producing a cascade of equal height and volume. This salt water fall actually flows both ways.

Weakness.
Weakness is imperfect if it be not both active and passive, leading us to subdue our own passions and resentments as well as to bear patiently the passions and resentments of others.—Parker.

ORDINANCE NO. 39.
An Ordinance prescribing the form of the Bonds and of the Interest Coupons to be thereto attached, heretofore ordered and directed to be issued by Ordinance No. 36 duly passed by the City Council of the City of Arcadia, Florida; providing for the levy of a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds when due and to create a sinking fund to discharge the principal thereof at maturity; and fixing the other details of said issue.

Whereas, by Ordinance No. 36, duly passed by the City Council of the City of Arcadia, Florida, the negotiable coupon bonds of said city were authorized and directed to be issued in the aggregate amount of \$30,000 for the following purposes, to-wit: \$12,000 for purchasing a school house site and erecting a school house thereon and equipping the same; \$5,000 for the purpose of opening, widening and paving the streets and sidewalks of said city, and \$13,000 for constructing and maintaining waterworks in and for said city; and

Whereas, at a special election duly called and held in all respects in compliance with law in said city on April 4, A. D. 1905, more than two-thirds of the qualified resident electors of said city, who were also owners of real estate within the corporate limits of said city and upon which they had paid taxes for the year when the same were last due, voted in favor of the issuance of said bonds; and

Whereas said ordinance and all of the proceedings had thereunder have been fully validated and the authority of said city to issue said bonds for the purposes and in the manner in said ordinance prescribed fully confirmed by an act duly passed by the legislature of the State of Florida and approved May 24, A. D. 1905, Now, therefore,

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Arcadia:

Section 1. That the bonds mentioned in the preamble hereof shall be of the following numbers, respectively, to-wit: School building bonds, 12 in number, numbered from 1 to 12 both inclusive; street improvement bonds, 5 in number, numbered from 1 to 5 both inclusive; waterworks bonds, 13 in number, numbered from 1 to 13 both inclusive. Said bonds shall be of the denomination of \$1,000 each, shall bear date of November 15, A. D. 1905, and shall become due and payable absolutely on November 15, 1935, or on any annual interest payment date thereafter at the option of said city after giving due notice of such election to redeem at the place or places where the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon are made payable. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per centum per annum, payable annually on the 15th day of November in each year, which interest payments shall be evidenced by proper coupons attached to each bond, and both principal and interest shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the current standard of weight and fineness, at the office of the treasurer of said city of Arcadia; Provided, however, that the interest on said bonds may be payable at such place in the city and State of New York, or elsewhere, as the board of public works of said city may direct and provide.

Sec. 2. That each of said bonds and each of the interest coupons thereto attached shall be in substantially the following form, to-wit: (Form of Bond)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF DESOTO
CITY OF ARCADIA

No. (School Building, Street Improvement or Waterworks Bond, as the case may be) \$1,000.
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the City of Arcadia, in the County of Desoto and State of Florida, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of One Thousand Dollars on November 15, A. D. 1935, together with interest on said sum from the date hereof until paid, at the rate of FIVE (5) PER CENTUM PER ANNUM, payable annually on the 15th day of November in each year, as evidenced by and upon the presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they severally become due; both principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States of America of the current standard of weight and fineness. The principal hereof payable at the office of the city treasurer in said city of Arcadia, Florida, and the interest hereon payable at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Co. in the city of New York, in the State of New York. And for the prompt payment of this bond with interest as aforesaid at maturity the full faith, credit and resources of said city are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is redeemable before said date of maturity at the option of said city on November 15, A. D. 1925, or on any annual interest payment date thereafter upon giving due notice of such election to redeem at the place or places where the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon are made payable.

This bond is issued for the purpose of providing funds for (specifying the particular purpose), in accordance with the affirmative vote of more than two-thirds of the qualified resident electors of said city and owners of real estate therein upon which they had paid taxes for the year when the same were last due, voting in favor thereof at an election duly called and held in said city on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1905; pursuant to ordinances duly passed by the city council of said city, and under and in all respects in full compliance with the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of Florida, approved May 29, A. D. 1901, entitled: "An act to abolish the present municipal government of the town of Arcadia, in the County of Desoto and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the city of Arcadia, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges; and with the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of Florida, approved May 24, A. D. 1905, entitled: "An act to legalize the election held in the city of Arcadia on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1905, to determine by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the electors voting at said election whether or not the bonds proposed by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to

provide for the issuing of bonds of the city of Arcadia, and for the expenditure and disbursing of funds received from the sale of said bonds" passed by the city council of said city on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1905, and approved by the mayor of said city on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1905, should be authorized and issued, and to declare and render valid and legal said election and notice thereof and the results as shown by the returns thereof, and to declare and render legal and valid said ordinance, and to authorize the issue of bonds, as provided by said ordinance."

And it is hereby certified and recited that all things, acts and conditions required by the constitution and laws of the State of Florida to happen and be done and performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have happened and been properly done and performed in regular and due form and time as required by law, and that the total bonded or other indebtedness of said city, including this bond, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said city of Arcadia, Florida, by its city council, has caused its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and this bond and each of the interest coupons hereto attached to be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the president of the Council, and attested by the Clerk of said city, this 15th day of November, A. D. 1905.

Mayor,
Countersigned:
President of Council.
Attest:
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City Clerk.
(Seal)

(Form of Coupon.) \$50.00

No. On
The City of Arcadia, in the County of Desoto and State of Florida, will pay to bearer the sum of FIFTY DOLLARS in gold coin of the United States of America of the current standard of weight and fineness, at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Co. in the city of New York, in the State of New York, for annual interest due that day on its bond dated November 15, A. D. 1905, No.
Countersigned:
President of Council.

Attest:
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City Clerk.
(Seal)

Sec. 3. That the interest which shall become due and payable upon the bonds hereinabove referred to for the year 1906 shall be paid out of the general fund of said city, and for the purpose; of providing the necessary funds sufficient to reimburse said general fund for said year's interest and to pay the interest on said bonds due November 15, 1907, there shall be and there is hereby levied and assessed upon all of the taxable property in said city of Arcadia, for the year 1906 the sum of \$3,000.

And for the purpose of providing funds sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds subsequent to said year 1907 promptly when and as the same falls due, and also to pay and discharge the principal thereof at maturity, there shall be and there is hereby levied and assessed on all of the taxable property in said city, in addition to all other city taxes, the following special district tax, to-wit:

For the year 1907 a tax sufficient to produce the sum of \$1500 for interest. For each of the years 1908 to 1934, both inclusive, a tax sufficient to produce the sum of \$2612, being \$1500 for interest and \$1112 for principal.

Provided, however, that in the event of the payment of said bonds or any of them before their absolute date of maturity in the exercise of the option reserved to the city in that behalf as heretofore stated or in the event of said sinking fund being augmented by interest upon its investment in the manner heretofore provided, then the above mentioned tax shall be reduced so as to raise only such part thereof as is necessary to meet the interest and discharge the principal of such of said bonds as then remain outstanding and unpaid.

Sec. 4. That all ordinances or parts thereof heretofore passed in conflict with the provisions hereof be and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. That this ordinance take effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PERRY C. BROWN,
President of Council.
Attest:
R. B. CAMPBELL, (City Seal)
City Clerk.

State of Florida,
County of Desoto,
City of Arcadia.
The foregoing Ordinance having been duly enacted and passed by the City Council of the City of Arcadia, Florida, the same is hereby certified to W. M. PLATT, Mayor of said City, for approval, as is required by Section 12 of the Charter of said City.

Witness my hand and the seal of the City of Arcadia, aforesaid, this 11th day of December, A. D. 1905.
(City Seal) R. B. CAMPBELL,
City Clerk.

The foregoing Ordinance is approved by me this 11th day of December, A. D. 1905.
W. M. PLATT,
Mayor of the City of Arcadia.

Administrator's Notice.

In County Judge Court Desoto County, Florida.
By the County Judge of said county: Whereas S. J. Simmons has applied to this court for Letters of Administration on the estate of T. J. Lawton, deceased, late of said county of Desoto: These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear before this court on the 17th day of February 1906 and file objections, if any they have to the granting Letters as aforesaid, otherwise the same will be granted as prayed.

Witness my name and the seal of the county aforesaid this 3rd day of January 1906.
(SEAL) J. S. COCHRAN,
County Judge.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that six months from this date I will apply to the Honorable J. H. Cochran, Judge of the Probate Court of Desoto County, Florida, for a final settlement as administrator of the estate of Elmina Stevens deceased, and there will be for any final discharge.

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